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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/24/2005
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- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 01/24/2905
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/24/2005
- Substitute Specification filed on 01/24/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 01/24/2005
- Specification filed on 01/24/2005
- Claims filed on 01/24/2005
- Abstracts filed on 01/24/2005
- Drawings filed on 01/24/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Additional claim fees of \$15450 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$15450 for a Large Entity:

Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 15450



- \$8000 for 40 independent claims over 3.
- \$7450 for 149 total claims over 20.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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